GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2064
ANSWERED ON:15.03.2002
SPECIAL CENTRAL ASSISTANCE SPECIAL COMPONENT PLAN
PRAVEEN RASHTRAPAL

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of Special Component Plan (SCP) and Special Central Assistance (SCA) provided to various State Governments/Union Territories during the last three years;

(b) the details of utilization of these funds made available to the State Governments and the Union Territories;

(c) whether the Government have obtained details regarding reduction in the BPL families on account of the utilization of the above funds; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA)

(a) & (b) Under the strategy of Special component Plan (SCP) evolved by Planning Commission funds are earmarked out of the Plan fund with the States/UTs in proportion to the percentage of SC population in the State/UTs.Special Central Assistance (SCA) is provided to the States/UTs as an additive to their SCP. The amount of SCA provided by this Ministry and utilization as reported by the States/UTs is enclosed as Annexure.

(c) & (d) According to the latest available (1993-94) estimates 48% in rural areas and 49.5% in Urban areas of SC population was living below the poverty line. Estimates of percentage of SC population living below the poverty line in the last three years are not yet available.

Annexure -I

Special Central Assistance

Statement refer to in reply to Part (a)& (b) of Lok Sabha unstarred Question No. 2064 for 15.3.2002 by Shri Pravin Rashtrapal regarding SCA & SCP.

(Rs. In lakhs)

Sl.No	States/UT	1998-99		1999-2000		2000-2001	
		Rel	Uti	Rel	Uti	Rel	Utilised
1	Andhra Pradesh	3388.78	3388.78	4134.94	4134.94	3720.00	3720.00
2	Assam	596.66	362.00	695.31	515.00	1810.69	914.75
3	Bihar	3620.07	1820.93	3471.49	0.00	0.00	1261.41
4	Chattisgarh			500.00	0.00		
5	Gujarat	371.4	1136.79	682.27	682.27	1521.88	639.30
6	Goa	2.72	1.90	5.49	1.80	8.00	1.50
7	Haryana	741.77	741.53	840.36	238.02	930.63	635.39
8	Himachal Pra	259.56	229.6	298.18	316.08	440.00	431.22
9	Jammu & Kashmir	132.80	66.69	183.44	137.85	218.00	238.10
10	Jarkhand			500.00	0.00		
11	Karnataka	1820.07	1820.07	2097.36	2097.36	2643.64	2643.64
12	Kerala	724.54	561.23	813.24	753.88	1251.07	0.00
13	Madhya Pradesh	2237.08	2443.04	3303.27	1936.10	1720.00	1448.64

14 Maharashtra 1673.92 1367.91 2067.3 1450.62 2722.00 1792.67
15 Manipur 10.62 8.43 12.54 13.00 38.96 0.00
16 Orissa 2281.57 2281.57 1907.72 1686.47 1884.00 2022.03
17 Punjab 1119.74 486.47 1280.29 313.13 1784.00 184.29
18 Rajasthan 2575.48 2357.68 2792.68 2275.37 3738.96 2137.83
19 Sikkim 4.03 4.03 22.37 22.26 23.87 23.98
20 Tamil Nadu 3236.93 2122.06 4036.92 2841.39 3558.00 2652.39
21 Tripura 108.72 102.99 159.14 164.87 476.48 476.48
22 Uttar Pradesh 7518.15 7158.95 9728.65 5682.35 9398 6820.62
23 Uttaranchal 500.00 54.17
24 West Bengal 3378.39 3378.39 4962.00 4962.00 5450.63 5322.33
25 Chandigarh 22.00 22.00 25.00 25.00 25.00 25.00
26 Delhi 201.71 82.87 149.91 82.87 149.91 36.71
27 Pondicherry 73.29 73.29 30.13 30.13 25.18 12.59

Total 36100.00 32019.20 43700.00 30362.76 45038.90 33495.04